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The Kansas Child Care Licensing Dispatch

KDHE Child Care Licensing (CCL) conducted seven face-to-face meetings and four webinars between March 1 and May 1, 2016 to present requirements of the Child Care Reauthorization Bill and KDHE CCL Licensed/Group Day Care Home, Child Care Center/Preschool and School Age Program proposed regulation changes. The information provided at these meetings is available on the new Reauthorization of the Child Care and Development Block Grant tab found on the KDHE CCL Web page. Please continue to watch for updated information at Kansas Department of Health and Environment: Child Care Licensing - Reauthorization of the Child Care and Development Block Grant . See example of new page below.

Also new to the CCL Web page is the <u>Child Care Licensing Parent Page</u> tab. The parent page includes FAQ's, Search for Child Care Resources and an Online Complaint Form. The addition of the parent page and the content supports Kansas in meeting the consumer Education requirements of the Child Care Reauthorization Bill and provides valuable resources to Kansas families.

Reauthorization of the Child Care and Development Block Grant

The Federal Child Care and Development Block Grant. (CCDBG) Act of 2014 was signed into law on November 2014. The law reauthorizes and significantly revises the purposes of the Child Care Development Fund program (CCDF). The Kansas Department for Children and Families. (DCF) is the lead agency for the administration of the CCDF program. The Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE), as the state agency with the statutory authority to regulate the provision of child care, is responsible for implementing the key health and safety provisions of CCDF. These provisions include:

- Health and safety requirements;
- Inspection and monitoring strategies;
- Licensing staff; and
- Consumer education and transparency of the inspection process

While Kansas currently meets many of the new health and safety provisions found in CCDF, changes to a limited number of the current child care regulations are necessary to fully comply. As work progresses on these changes, information will be made available. Child care providers and other interested parties will have an opportunity to review and provide formal comment on proposed changes.

Please continue to watch this webpage for additional information

Resources

Implementing CCDBG Reauthorization

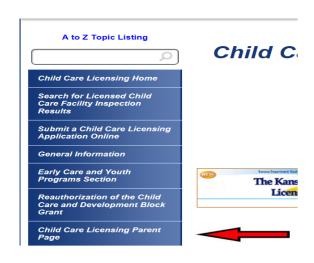
Office of Child Care | Administration for Children and Families-CCDF Program



Click above to find a VFC Provider.

Click below for Vaccines for Children Outreach Project information.





Early Detection Works Program

Helping you get breast and cervical cancer screenings

Who qualifies?

This program pays for breast and cervical cancer screenings for Kansas women who:

- Are 40-64 years old
 - * Limited resources are available for women under 40 with documented breast or cervical health concerns
- Do not have health insurance or are underinsured (deductible > \$2500)
- Meet income eligibility guidelines (see table)

Early Detection Works Program Services

Free Breast Cancer Screening

- Clinical breast exams
- Mammograms

Free Cervical Cancer Screening

 Pap tests for women 40 to 64 years old as recommended by current guidelines

	Annual Household	Monthly Household
Household	Income	Income
Size	Maximum	Maximum
1	\$29,425	\$2,452
2	\$39,825	\$3,319
3	\$50,225	\$4,185
4	\$60,625	\$5,052
5	\$71,025	\$5,919
6	\$81,425	\$6,785
7	\$91,825	\$7,652
8	\$102,225	\$8,519

How to Enroll

Women may enroll by calling toll-free 1-877-277-1368. Women who qualify for this program are given an **enrollment number** and referred to a health care provider in the Early Detection Works network of providers.

What if something is found?

If one of your screening tests shows a potential problem, the health care provider will explain it to you and the Early Detection Works program will pay for specific diagnostic tests. The health care provider will assist you in making these appointments.

What if I need treatment?

Women who are Kansas residents and diagnosed with cancer through the Early Detection Works program are eligible for referral to KanCare (Kansas Medicaid) for treatment. Other treatment options may be available for women not eligible for KanCare.

Visit www.kdheks.gov/edw or call toll-free 1-877-277-1368 to learn more about the program.

The Kansas Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Works Program is funded through the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Cooperative Agreement number U58DP003889, the State of Kansas and through grant funding from both the Kansas and Greater Kansas City Affiliates of Susan G. Komen.

early detection can save your life.

early detection works



Fred the Preparedness Dog www.fredthepreparednessdog.org

Play fun preparedness games with Fred to help you be prepared!

Provider Emergency Preparedness tools are available at

kdheks.gov/kidsnet

What is GoNoodle?

GoNoodle is a great way to give kids a quick burst of physical activity on those days that weather does not permit going outside.

GoNoodle is a **free** resource that is interactive



Click here to view

Caring for Our Children

Click the link to view

National Health and Safety Performance Standards; Guidelines for Early Care and Education Programs, Third Edition

Weather Chart

Click the link to view

Applying for an Initial Child Care License

or Submitting a Renewal Online Child Care Licensing Application

Renew online – it is fast and secure. Go to www.kdheks.gov/kidsnet.

If you are not currently registered and need your KDHE Person or Organization ID, please contact Child Care Licensing at 785-296-1270.

PLEASE NOTE: If your facility is owned by a corporation, LLC, LLP, government entity agency or school district, please contact your organization's business office for instructions.

Apply to become a New Child Care Facility – *PLEASE NOTE*: You must attend an orientation with the licensed surveyor in your area <u>PRIOR</u> to applying to become a New Child Care Facility. Click here to locate a licensing surveyor in your area

Who Do You Contact or Where Do You Look?



ksresourceguide@kdheks.gov



Health Department Surveyor
Food Program
Department for Children and Families
* Child Care Subsidy
*Reporting Child Abuse and Neglect
Kansas Health and Environment – Child Care Licensing

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